

## UNITED NATIONS TROOPS RAM TO POINT WITHIN 25 MILES OF KOREA'S 38TH PARALLEL IN A FIVE-MILE NORTHWARD PUSH; KNOCK OUT THOUSANDS OF 'REDS'

**Tank-Powered United States  
Armored Columns Drive  
Through Anyang**

**PULL BACK AT DUSK**

**Engage in Battles North and  
West of Anyang with  
Chinese Units**

By Howard Handelman  
Far Eastern Director, INS

TOKYO, Feb. 6.—United Nations troops rammed within 25 miles of Korea's 38th parallel today in a five-mile northward push up the east flank of an offensive that knocked out more thousands of resisting red soldiers.

On the west wing of the crushing drive along a 65-mile front, tank-powered American armored columns drove into and through Anyang, seven miles south of Seoul, for the second time in two days.

They pulled back at dusk Tuesday for the usual overnight stand after engaging in battles north and west of Anyang with reinforced Chinese units using self-propelled artillery, anti-tank guns and other weapons.

**Newtown Boro' Budget  
Is Given First Reading**

NEWTOWN, Feb. 6.—The first reading of the 1951 budget for Newtown borough council was heard last evening during a meeting presided over by D. Russell Bond, in council chambers, with one councilman absent.

The proposed budget will be voted upon at the next meeting, and will be available for inspection 10 days before the next council meeting, March 5th.

Walter Lefferts, reporting for the property committee, stated that the roof on the fire station had been repaired.

Four parking arrests were made for the month as reported by Police Officer Edward Bateman.

One fire in the township was announced by fire chief, Harrison Ettenger.

Proposals were made by J. Stanley Lee and Clifford Sherman in regards to liability insurance. No action was taken however.

**Air Raid Signal Test  
Proves To Be Successful**

The test of Bristol's air raid warning signals went off as scheduled last evening. The whistle at the plant of 3M company was out of order and therefore could not sound an alarm in that area. It will be repaired and used tonight. All of the other whistles functioned.

Burgess I. J. Hetherington, Sr., director of Civilian Defense in Bristol, was at the municipal building, the nerve center of the signal system. Fire Chief Clifford Hagerman was on duty. Chief Hagerman first sent the alarm to the fire stations in Bristol. Then the fire siren was sounded, giving a signal of three minutes duration. This was the Red Signal. Fifteen minutes later the All Clear was given. This consisted of three one-minute blasts with two minute intervals.

Burgess Hetherington said he was highly pleased with the test.

The test will be repeated to-night, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

**LOCAL WEATHER  
OBSERVATIONS**

AT DOWN & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY  
BRISTOL, PA.  
FOR 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING 9 A. M.

Temperature Readings	
Maximum	44
Minimum	26
Range	18

Hourly Temperatures	
8 a. m. yesterday	26
9	29
10	31
11	35
12 noon	39
1 p. m.	41
2	41
3	41
4	43
5	39
6	37
7	35
8	33
9	32
10	31
11	31
12 midnight	29
1 a. m. today	26
2	27
3	27
4	27
5	27
6	26
7	27
8	27

P. C. Relative Humidity 87  
Precipitation (inches) 0  
Minimum temp. last Feb. 6: 29

**TIDES AT BRISTOL**

High water 2:54 a. m., 3:24 p. m.  
Low water 9:52 a. m., 10:26 p. m.

Sun rises 7:05 a. m., sets 5:26 p. m.  
Moon rises 7:30 a. m., sets 5:57 p. m.

## SENATOR WATSON'S BILL PROPOSES THIRD JUDGE FOR BUCKS COUNTY

(By International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Feb. 6.—Bills proposing school allocations, highway changes and a third judge in Bucks County were backed today by Sen. Edward B. Watson (R) Bucks. He proposed allocating \$185,000 to the National Agriculture College and Farm School near Doylestown and \$12,500 to the Tabor Home for Children. The additional judge would serve for 10 years.

One highway bill would define Route 09015 as running 4.15 miles from the east line of Tullytown Borough through Falls Township to a point on Route 150 east of Penn Valley. It had been defined as running from the borough to Route 150 via Slickville.

Watson proposed a new road beginning at Route 326 in Upper Makefield Township, near Bowman's Hill, to an intersection with a road in Washington Crossing State Park. He also sponsored a bill to remove 2.7 miles of Route 5610, between Morrisville and an undesignated road intersection, from the highway system.

## NOTE \$5,000 INCREASE IN YARDLEY'S BUDGET

**Budget, Totalling \$28,598,  
Approved at Its First  
Reading**

**A PER CAPITA TAX**

YARDLEY, Feb. 6.—An increase of nearly \$5,000 over last year, was cited in the 1951 municipal budget totaling \$28,598.55, which was introduced and approved on first reading recently by the Yardley borough council.

Council has proposed a per capita tax of \$3 for each adult of the community, in order to accommodate the budget rise. No action has been taken on the proposal.

In other action, the council appointed Nelson Whitehead as chairman of the Street Committee for 1951. Michael Derrick was named chairman of the Light and Property Committee.

Alexander Kaly, president of the Yardley Terrace Civic Association, was on hand to seek permission for the association to erect street signs on the Penn Valley Tract. His request was approved.

The council also approved a proposal by Myles Furey, health and sanitation chairman, to advertise for bids for garbage collection on a yearly basis.

An application by Stanley Hoagland for the position of full-time borough police officer was accepted and approved. Hoagland will replace Robert Watson, who has resigned.

**ARCHITECT TO SPEAK**

J. Wigton, Jr., architect for the new school to be built in Croydon, will present the plans and discuss the requirements of the modern school at the monthly meeting of the Delhaas high school P. T. A., Thursday evening. The meeting will be held at eight o'clock in Delhaas high school building.

**IMPORTANT MEETING**

An important meeting of St. Ann's A. A. Ladies Auxiliary will be held this evening at eight in the club house, Wood street.

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By Staff Reporter

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Council discussed this problem and talked of many ways to provide the necessary heat. It was decided to turn the problem over to the property committee for action.

Chief of Police William E. Arnwine reported seven "stop" sign violations, one car parked the wrong way, one reckless driving violation, two accidents in the borough, one dog killed by a car, a generator was stolen off a Wood School truck parked in the borough during the day, and a call was received about a prowler. He proved

## LANGHORNE MANOR ADOPTS 1951 BUDGET

**Tax Rate Set at 11 Mills  
With \$10 Per  
Capita Tax**

**ORDINANCE ADOPTED**

LANGHORNE MANOR, Feb. 6.—Langhorne Manor borough council, at its February meeting, last evening, adopted an ordinance imposing a tax of \$10 per person, for all borough residents over 21 years of age. This is in accordance with Act No. 481, it is announced by council.

A tax rate of five mills was set for general borough purposes, and three mills for sinking fund.

The third reading of the 1951 budget was heard and a resolution was passed to adopt it following minor revisions.

The meeting was held at the home of William Rumpf, Jr., President William Rumpf, Jr., presided over the session with the others in attendance being: Dr. Henry Stover, William Meldrum, Philip Hoffman, William Engle, Robert Keating, Burgess A. W. Wixon, treasurer L. C. Nielson, secretary Mrs. Lillian Metcalf.

**SQUAD GIVES HELP**

Bucks County Rescue Squad cases yesterday included: Mrs. Anna Brunsack, Bridgewater, taken to Temple University hospital, Phila.; Mrs. Martha Quattrochi, 1813 Farragut avenue, to Nazareth hospital, Philadelphia; William Franks, 536 Locust street, to Abington hospital.

**COUNCILMAN IN HOSPITAL**

Councilman Richard T. Myers, Otter street, is a patient in Abington hospital. Councilman Myers underwent an operation on Friday.

**CAR AFIRE**

Firemen received a call at 12 o'clock noon today. A car was afire in a garage at 349 Hayes street, firemen report.

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## Inform of Progress At School for Blind

ANDALUSIA, Feb. 6.—The Andalusia Lions Club held its meeting on Thursday at Becker Farms Inn. The meeting was opened by Stanley Smith, president. A visitor welcomed was Robert Starr, industrial arts instructor at Bensalem township high school, who was formerly a member of Millintown club.

Speaker of the evening was Allen Rubrecht, of Overbrook Lions Club. Mr. Rubrecht stepped in on a moment's request from chairman Francis Rossbauer, to make a report on the progress of the new Overbrook School for the Blind. This new home is a project of Lions District 14A. A new idea in blind education has been put into effect at the new home to educate the parents as well as the children, he informed.

## COURSE PLANNED FOR SKILLS INSTRUCTION

**Program is Handicapped By  
Lack of Trained Craft  
Teachers**

**AT NAVAL HOSPITAL**

The arts and skills program at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Phila., is being handicapped by a lack of trained craft teachers, it is announced by the American Red Cross. Classes are being organized to teach qualified volunteers in leather, pottery, jewelry, weaving, and plastics.

Classes will be held four consecutive Fridays, 9:30 a. m. to four p. m. beginning February 9th, in Ward D, at the hospital. Graduates of the course will be expected to give one day a week to the arts and skills program for a period of not less than six months. All interested in taking this course may send their names to Miss Harriet Venus, Arts and Skills Service, Ward D, U. S. Naval Hospital, 17th & Pattison streets, Phila., or to the Red Cross branch office, 435 Radcliffe street, here.

Training for canteen workers is also being offered. This course will consist of two days training, February 12th and 22nd, from 10 a. m. to four p. m. at chapter headquarters, 253 N. Broad street, Philadelphia. Volunteers may register for this course at the branch office, 435 Radcliffe street.

A class to orient volunteers for Valley Forge Army Hospital, Phoenixville, is also scheduled. Women between the ages of 21 and 55 are needed who are able to serve one day each week, from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Lectures will be held Monday, Feb. 19th, and Wed., Feb. 21st, at the hospital from 10:30 a. m. to four p. m. Applicants may be interviewed at the hospital on Friday, Feb. 16th, by appointment, or interviews may be arranged for at chapter headquarters by calling Locust 4-2530 (Gray Lady Office), American Red Cross, 253 N. Broad st., Philadelphia.

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A graduate of Bristol high school, class of 1943, he was employed as payroll clerk by Superior Zinc Co. During World War II, he served with the 1st Marine Division in the Pacific area.

His survivors are his wife, Isabella (nee Zanni); his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Paolini; a sister, Mrs. Albin Rago; and three brothers, Sante, Carlo and John Paolini, of Bristol.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral Thursday morning at nine from 29 Lincoln avenue. Service at 10 a. m. will be in the Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour with the Rev. A. G. Soila conducting. Interment in Bristol Cemetery will be in charge of Vincent D. Galzerano, funeral director. Friends may call Wednesday evening.

**VEHICLES DAMAGED IN CRASH**

Anthony M. Dimarcello, Hudson street, Trenton, N. J., and Theodore McAnn, Prospect avenue, Croydon, were the drivers of two vehicles involved in a collision on the Bristol Pike at 245 a. m., Saturday. No one was injured but there was slight damage to the vehicle. The accident was investigated by Franklin Kirby, chief of police, Falls Township.

**MEETING POSTPONED**

The meeting of the literature group of The Travel Club, scheduled for this week at the home of Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, Jr., Torredale, has been postponed. Date for the meeting will be announced later.

## HULMEVILLE GIVES ZONING SERIOUS CONSIDERATION

**Ask Additional Material;  
To Discuss Matter  
Further in March**

**TAX RATE RETAINED**

**Budget Adopted for 1951;  
Council Receives The  
Auditors' Report**

HULMEVILLE, Feb. 6.—Hulmeville borough council, last evening, in addition to adopting the proposed budget for 1951, gave serious consideration to retain services of representatives of the Government Consulting Service (of the Institute of Local Government, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia), as a step toward implementing a zoning code for this borough.

The six councilmen, after hearing Charles P. Cella, supervisor of that service, explain how the G. C. S. assists in zoning plans, piled him with questions, not only on zoning but in regard to setting up a building code for the borough.

"If you want to give your borough all the protection you need, you should have both," he advised. "They dove-tail, but do not duplicate each other." He added: "You ought to think in terms of getting both."

Mr. Cella summed up his information by reminding that through zoning the borough is divided into classes of districts: residential, industrial, commercial, etc.

## ATTEMPT TO DEVELOP UNIFIED CURRICULUM

**Newtown School Board  
Hears Report of Such  
From Principal**

**ROBERTS PRESIDES**

NEWTOWN, Feb. 6.—Dr. W. Arthur Roberts, presided over a meeting of the Newtown school board last evening at the home of the secretary, Mrs. William Morlok, Jr. Principal Norman Kratz stated that on Jan. 18th, the teachers of the elementary schools had been in conference with Miss Leversia Powers, to develop an elementary unified curriculum.

Parent-teacher conferences are being held for the second time this year, with each parent given an individual appointment with the teachers.

Announcement was made that teachers, Miss Mary Yerkes and Mrs. Jean Shaffer, have completed a 30 hour first aid course at Doylestown. This will qualify them to teach other instructors, who in turn will be qualified to teach first aid courses in the schools.

Mrs. LeRoy Nixon, a representative of the Nesaminy Valley Youth Center, read a letter from Kenneth Abell, state recreational consultant, in regards to the employment of a director for the Center. After much discussion, the board decided to appoint two representatives to meet with two from the Center and have two attorneys in attendance to try to come to a decision in regards to the matter of the school board employing a director for the Center.

**Nothing Like Brisk  
Walk in Zero Weather**

By "The Stroller"  
If a certain Bristol clergyman appeared footsore and weary before his congregation on Sunday, late hours alone were not to blame, but the trudging along a nearby highway as he carried a couple of gallons of gasoline.

The hour was late Friday when the leader of a local flock completed a call at the home of one of his parishioners in Croydon. He had travelled to a point along Bristol Pike, opposite Seaboard Container Corp., when the engine sputtered and went "dead." No amount of clerical urging could get it started, then the light dawned, the tank was empty. Back toward Croydon in the near zero temperature went the wearer of "the cloth."

But each gasoline station along the pike was closed for the night. Finally one station operator was able to oblige, and back over the same route the reverend gentleman started, the can becoming heavier with every step.

Saturday, apparently, was another day of forgetfulness of the gasoline tank, for while making pastoral calls Sunday afternoon the horrible thought came to him "Is there enough gas" in the car to reach the parsonage?

## BELOW THE BELT

When President Truman recently threatened to kick a music critic in unmentionable fashion for daring to find fault with Margaret Truman's singing, the incident was largely glossed over by the President's supporters on the grounds that it was a forgivable outbreak by a much-harrassed national leader whose parental pride was hurt.

It now begins to appear that perhaps the President's rash and profane letter set the tune for the Administration's answer to critics of the national defense policy.

In both the two major recent policy speeches on behalf of the White House—the radio-video appearance of General Eisenhower and the Philadelphia address of the President himself—the speakers came very close to hitting below the belt.

While it is entirely logical to attack the whole series of talks by General Eisenhower as being unfair in that, first, they were pure special pleading for the Administration's foreign policy, and second that they suppressed information rather than producing it—that they were full of fancy writing instead of facts—nevertheless, the one place where ordinary good taste was involved in the General's remarks concerned a single word.

The word itself is offensive, but the manner in which the General spat it out, viciously and ill-temperedly, made it doubly so. It occurred when, near the close of his address, he attempted to brush aside the criticisms of the Truman defense policy by saying that we must not avoid our own duties through a "weaseling" logic.

Now, the word "weasel" has come to be almost a fighting word in political debate—just about as insulting as "liar," and a great deal more vicious. It carries connotations of deceit and underhandedness, as well as treachery.

It is not the sort of word which the head of a great institution of learning ought to use except under the greatest of provocation—and then only if his own skirts are entirely clear.

Nor is it the sort of word which any military leader of this nation ought ever to use in reference to members of the legislative branch of our government—not if the general in question really believes in the Constitutional principle of the civilian authority being supreme to the military department.

The target of the word was unmistakable: Senator

## NEW SCHOOL SITES PROVIDE FOR EXPANSION

**Those Being Purchased Will  
Provide for Growth  
Of 50 Years**

**TWP. HAS A BIG ONE**

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 6.—The new school sites now being purchased by school boards in Bucks County are of sufficient size so that school boards 50 years from now will be able to expand facilities and erect new structures without necessarily expanding the sites. Since 1946 the Bucks County Board of School Directors has been urging local authorities to purchase school sites of adequate size. The district school boards generally have been securing good locations since the beginning of the public schools, but none of the sites in the era before 1946 remained adequate over the expanse of the life of the school building.

In order to meet the needs of the modern school buildings which are generally of one-story design, and in order to provide community facilities as well as playground opportunities, the Bucks County Board has set up minimum standards.

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Also in attendance was the deputy coordinator, Colonel A. M. Heritage.

Chiefs of the various departments had been called together by Judge Keller for the purpose of discussing the simulated test exercises to be conducted in the Philadelphia area.

**K. OF C. SESSION**

Bristol Knights of Columbus will hold a meeting this evening at 8:45.

## HEAR REPORTS ON DEFENSE ACTIVITIES

**Steering Committee, Bucks  
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At Doylestown**

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## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### 5th and Largest Atomic Test Blast Lights Nevada

Las Vegas.—The fifth and largest series of atomic test blasts across the Sheep Mountains from Las Vegas lit up the entire southeastern Nevada sky at 8:47 a. m. (EST) today. The heavy blast filled the sky with a white light turning to yellow that lasted for a full five seconds and was followed by a rumbling concussion that rattled glass throughout Las Vegas. After the concussion struck, a huge white mushroom like a giant parachute rose into the skies.

### Killed In Phila. Car Crash

Philadelphia.—Constantino Angelucci, 62, of West Philadelphia, was killed today when an automobile being chased by police reportedly sped through a red light in center city and smashed into his car. Police said a passenger in Angelucci's car, Park Guard Henry Roberts, 45, sustained serious head injuries.

### 90% P.R.R. Crews Return to Freight Yards In Phila.

Philadelphia.—The Pennsylvania Railroad reported 90 per cent of its freight yard crews, totalling some 390 workers, returned to their jobs this morning in addition to all Philadelphia commuter service trainmen. A spokesman said hourly service between Philadelphia, New York and Washington is back to normal. Trains leaving New York and Washington are being manned by regular crews, he said, although those leaving New York still have some volunteers. All local commuter service returned to normal beginning with the 8 a. m. trick.

### Bucks Countian To Be Treated at Warm Springs

Philadelphia.—William L. Ten Cate, 25, of Jamison, Bucks County leaves Philadelphia tonight for Warm Springs, Ga., to receive advanced special treatment for infantile paralysis. Arrangements for his transfer and admission to the Foundation were completed by the Bucks County Chapter of the National Foundation for infantile paralysis which has borne all his expenses for care and treatment totalling more than \$8000 with March of Dimes contributions. The victim was stricken with the disease while working toward a master's degree at the University of Pennsylvania in September, 1949. He was confined to an iron lung for about three months.

## 10 OF SELECTEES ARE FROM BRISTOL; 39 LEAVE TODAY

**Four from Morrisville; Two  
Each from Andalusia,  
Yardley and Newtown**

**TAKE THE 7.25 TRAIN**

**Langhorne Sends Six, Croydon  
Four, Many Other  
Places One Each**

Of the 39 men who entrained here at 7:25 this morning, bound for Philadelphia and induction into the armed forces, 10 are from Bristol.

The group also included four from Morrisville; two each from Andalusia, Yardley, and Newtown; six from Langhorne; four from Croydon; while several communities sent one each.

Those called by Local Selective Service Board, No. 35, to the service of "Uncle Sam" are:

Bristol, William McCoy, Jr., John R. Bakos, Frederick J. Mitchell, Theodore L. Pollett, William E. Cockran, William E. Waldron, Norman R. Vetter, Thomas R. Crawford, Benjamin Asta, Arthur Man-schuetz; New York, William J. Schmutz; Johnsville, Dominick J. Carosi; Morrisville, George E. Hartley, Robert E. Young, James J. Pitman, Allen C. Stout; Davisville, Charles W. Morrison; Warrington, Fred G. Orhaus; West Virginia, Vernon Gibson; Andalusia, Edward I. Salmon, Ernest B. Truchart; Yardley, Robert A. Davis, Elmer L. Miller; Newtown, Howard H. Keller, Robert Morris; Langhorne, John T. Bell, Edwin R. Eastwick, John A. McMenamin, Jr., Edgar S. Price, Richard Ludlow, David C. Fulton; Holland, Howard Polmatier, Jr.; Newportville, Charles Barger; Croydon, Harry J. Seip, Edward R. Coar, Joseph W. Dea, James E. Wolf; Trenton, N. J., Stanley C. Phillips; Ivyland, Clarence W. Carey; Hahorah, James Di-

## Launch Bldg. Program For A Langhorne S. S.

LANGHORNE, Feb. 6.—A building program has been launched by Langhorne Methodist Sunday School. The program is devised to care for present and future enrollment in the Sunday School.

There are 208 pupils and teachers enrolled, and facilities are claimed inadequate for the 21 classes. There are but three individual classrooms for the 21 classes.

The plan which has been approved by the Sunday School board provides for erection of a separate building for the primary and junior departments; renovation of present facilities to care for intermediate



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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1951

## A COMMUNITY ASSET

February, a month of notable birthdays, sees the celebration of a "birthday" in which all Americans can properly join. Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, reminds us that one of America's largest youth organizations has reached another milestone.

The Boy Scouts of America has reached its forty-first anniversary. Since Feb. 8, 1910, more than 17,750,000 American boys and men have been influenced by the Scout Oath and Law. They have benefitted by using their leisure-time energies in outdoor living and activities of cultural and practical values which lead boys to become dependable men.

Today over 2,750,000 boys and men are actively enrolled in over 75,000 different units. Fortunately indeed are communities where Scouting flourishes. American adults of good character give generously of their time to give leadership.

In celebration of this birthday, the Boy Scouts are engaged in a nationwide clothing collection to meet emergency needs abroad, are stepping up their training for Civil Defense and are promoting greater interest in conserving the nation's natural resources.

May you have many more happy birthdays, Boy Scouts!

## PRICE OF FREEDOM

The American people can find needed courage to face the present difficult situation by again reviewing the early history of the nation. In December, 1776, Washington's ragged regiments were camped on the Pennsylvania side of the Delaware River, without shelter, some shoeless, with little food. They had retreated across New Jersey in the face of a superior British force. The Army lacked everything needed to win a war, including weapons and disciplined soldiers.

There had been many descriptions, the country was demoralized and divided, money was worthless. The British held New York City, Long Island and most of New Jersey. It was a beaten army which stood listening to the words of Thomas Paine, one of its members.

"These are times which try men's souls," he told his comrades. "The summer soldier and the sunshine patriot will, in this crisis, shrink from the service of his country. . . Tyranny, like hell, is not easily conquered, yet we have this consolation that the harder the conflict the more glorious the triumph."

"Heaven knows how to set a proper price upon its goods, and it would be strange, indeed, if so celestial an article as freedom should not be highly rated."

The rest is history. Washington led his soldiers across an ice-choked river on that Christmas night in 1776 to victory and a free nation was made secure. It is this same nation which today faces a test to determine whether its people are sunshine patriots, or have retained the courage and patriotism which brought it into being.

# "WASHINGTON REPORT"

By FULTON LEWIS, JR.  
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WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Not a bureaucrat alive in Washington today wants to be "decentralized."

Mention the word to any of them and they shudder as though invited to catch the plague. All of them want to stay in Washington, come atomic bombs or a Republican administration. Some view both events as catastrophes of equal magnitude.

When Russia started getting rough in Korea, the White House decided it was time to scatter the bureaucrats into the hills. Atomic bombing of Washington would blow loose enough red tape alone to clog the ordinary avenues of traffic, it was conceded. Everybody was to be provided a haven in the hills, with the exception of Congress. Presidential relations with the hill were a little remote at this moment with the assumption prevalent that a small-sized atomic bomb was about what Congress needed to blow it into line with the Fair Deal again.

Budget Director F. J. Lawton took the White House at its word and proceeded in December to set up a schedule for decentralizing the bureaucrats, one by one. He wants to scatter some 25,000 Federal workers—along with their big bosses—from Washington clear across the nation. Another 15,000 Federal employees were slated to move just out of atomic bomb range of Washington.

This was in December. Since then 200,000 employees have been added to the Federal payroll. Most of them in or around Washington, so Lawton actually lost ground by that number.

Most of the bureaucrats during this period were busy building up their office staffs, and didn't hear Lawton's reminders that some of them would soon be heading for the hinterlands. In fact, they are still trying to avoid listening, although a number have decentralized to the extent of buying homes out of the capital atom bomb radius.

Taking a bureaucrat out of Washington is worse than plucking a gold fish out of the bowl. Naturally the bureaucrat would want to take his limousine with him, which would create a shortage here for official parades and functions, a factor that has undoubtedly slipped past the White House planners.

Then there is the matter of press conferences. With something like 1,000 newspapers, radio and magazine reporters in Washington, it is no trouble for even the lowliest administrator to acquire an audience for his pronouncements. This is, of course, one of the best gadgets available for working up the bureaucratic ladder. A well-turned phrase can catch the Presidential

ear, and in Washington there are always a squad or two of bureaucrats in need of replacing. Once out in the hills a bureaucrat would be unable to holler down the canyon for the press corps. Only the squirrels would reply.

Actually, what the bureaucrats would miss the most is the in-fighting that sustains them in Washington. Most of them have able underlings who actually run their departments, which gives them ample time for social activities and guerrilla warfare in the red tape jungles.

Alan Valentine, a recent victim of Washington jungle warfare, didn't know his throat had been cut until he turned his head to answer a White House summons. He had been a victim for ten days. He didn't topple, however, and Mr. Truman had to beckon him out of office with a polite note. Then he noticed the blood.

The skilled knifing in Washington's bureaucratic circles usually takes place at semi-state dinners. It is here that reputations are dissected and rumors manufactured for official notice. Naturally there are always rumors indicating a sudden disfavor in the policy circus controlling the Government at the moment. When the hatchet work starts, newspapermen make book on how long the victim will survive, taking into consideration his physical toughness, the number of real friends he possesses and how much training he has had in jungle warfare.

To decentralize successfully, all of these things must be provided for the bureaucrats—if any—who are dispatched to the hinterlands. Not for a minute would a single one consider his departure a release from sudden death in the bureaucratic jungle. Federal warfare in Washington, like opium, is habit-forming. Victims wither and die when they get off the stuff.

## Penna. Salt Official Dies Suddenly in Phila.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—Yellott F. Hardcastle of Easton, Maryland, died suddenly Sunday in Presbyterian Hospital. He was 67 years old.

Mr. Hardcastle was born March 23, 1883, at Easton, Maryland, the son of General and Mrs. Edmund Lafayette Hardcastle. He was graduated from Lehigh University in 1905 and then worked briefly as a smelting engineer in Mexico and the Southwest. In 1909 he joined the engineering department of the Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company's Wyandotte, Mich., plant and served as draftsman and supervisor of the electrolytic operations there until 1915 when he became superintendent. In 1928 he became vice-president in charge of manufacturing, a position he held until he retired in 1949. In 1932 he moved from Wyandotte to the company's executive offices in Philadelphia, and in 1948 was elected a company director, a position he held at the time of his death.

Mr. Hardcastle was a member of the American Electro-Chemical Society and the Chemists Club of New York. He was a member of Christ Church, Easton, Md. Well known as a hunter and fisherman in the Eastern Shore region for many years, Mr. Hardcastle had also pursued these sports in many parts of the eastern United States and Canada.

He is survived by a son, Yellott Fitzhugh Hardcastle, Jr., of Groton, Mass.; a daughter, Mrs. William P. Drake, of Berwyn, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. P. K. Wright of Easton and Mrs. Charles E. Henderson, Jr., of Trappe, Md.; and seven grandchildren. Mrs. Hardcastle, the former Helen Dawson Wrightson, also of Easton, Md., died in 1944.

Funeral services will be held at Christ Church, Easton, Md., at two p. m., tomorrow.

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## Five Are Feted at Affair Held in The Michael Home

Mrs. Lester Michael, Radcliffe street, was surprised on Saturday evening when upon answering a call to the door she found a group of friends had arrived to celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Cards were played and television programs enjoyed. The birthday anniversary of Mrs. Allen Brace and Edward Morris were also observed, and a shower gift was arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Prickett.

Refreshments were served to: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Michael and son "Bob," Mr. and Mrs. William Loudon, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Linberry, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and son "Larry," Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brace, Mrs. Mildred Fooley, Mrs. Nannie Innam, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Prickett, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morris, Bristol township; Mrs. Florence Morris and Fred Morris, Richmond Hill, N. Y.

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To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, or your news correspondent, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing at the Courier office.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey, Sr., and Mrs. Minnie Hughes, Bath road, returned home after spending four weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Schaffer, Hollandale, Fla. During their stay, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Schaffer made a trip to the west coast of Florida and visited Mr. and Mrs. John Wear, Bonita Springs, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walker and

children, "Kenny" and Carol, who have been residing on Third avenue, have taken up their residence with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kishpaugh, Fleetwing road.

Cpl. Robert Bailey, Warrenton, Va., has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Bailey, Linden street.

Mrs. E. Schuyler Kleinhans, Santa Monica, Calif., returned home Monday, concluding a week's stay with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Henry, Radcliffe street. Mrs. Kleinhans trip east was made to attend the wedding of her daughter, Miss Charlotte Kleinhans to Mr. Robert M. Wood, Colorado, at Ithaca, N. Y., on Jan. 26th. Mr. Wood is a member of the faculty at Cornell University, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carter and son Bruce, Bath street, are spending three weeks on a motor trip to parts of Florida. Before returning to Bristol they will visit friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Florence Morris and son, Fred Morris, Richmond Hill, L. I., N. Y., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morris, Winder Village.

### Drive for Volunteers

S/Sgt. Charles F. Kinsey announced today that the Women's Army Corps is making a strong effort to secure qualified women to fill important technical and administrative jobs. Pointing out the excellent job done by the WAC during World War II, Sgt. Kinsey said that the need is just as acute today as it was then and that the local Army and Air Force recruiting station is trying to enlist as many young women as possible. Sgt. Kinsey invited all interested young women to call at the recruiting station in the municipal building, Pond and Mulberry streets, between 8:30 and 10 a. m. and four and five p. m. for full information.

## Initiate Six Members Into Cornwells Company

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Feb. 6 — Cornwells Fire Co. No. 1, held its regular meeting Thursday evening. Vice President Edgar Bekes presided in the absence of President J. Alfred Rigby, Jr.

James Pettit regional director for Lower Bucks Co. Scouts presented Chief William Ervin and assistant chief Elliott Dietrich with merit badges for teaching and testing Scouts of Andalusia Camp in fire fighting and fire prevention.

There were two new members admitted into the company, Samuel Shaffer, Cornwells Heights, and Edward Pietriwitz, Edgington.

Initiation was administered to six members.

Election of officers for the Cornwells unit of Lower Bucks Co. Marine Association was held, with J. Stanley Vansant being elected chief, and Calvin Freas elected governor.

The next meeting of the marine unit will be held on Thursday evening in Edgely Fire Co. station.

Chief Ervin gave the fire report for the month of January: 1 motor pump, 1 chicken house, 1 false alarm, 2 fields.

A repeat was served to 50 members.

## Believe Fox Shot Was Afflicted With Rabies

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 6 — An emergency policeman in Doylestown reports that a few days ago he shot a fox while patrolling the New Britain area. The fox, it is believed, had rabies.

Combining the community to break up the pack of wild dogs, which have been killing chickens and other small life, the officer came across the grey and red fox which he states was foaming and frothing at the mouth.

Ordinarily, a fox will not put up a fight, which this one did, or molest anyone, reported the officer, but this fox went on the defensive immediately.

Justice of the Peace William Wrigley, Edison, said efforts will be made to have a state representative perform an autopsy on the fox to determine whether it had rabies.

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## SUBURBAN NEWS

### ANDALUSIA

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Drinkhouse, former residents of Colonial avenue, have moved to their new home in Frankford.

### EMILIE

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hibbs, Emilie, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert White, Langhorne, R. D., attended the wedding of Miss Marilyn Yeager and James Quillen, both of Reading, on Saturday morning in St. Andrew's Reformed Church, there. Mr. Quillen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Quillen, is a former resident of Bristol and Fallsington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baker entertained at a turkey dinner Saturday evening. Miss Dorothy Baker, Mercer hospital, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and son David, Edgely; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hibbs, Mrs. Mabel Stegmenn, Emilie, Judith and "Billy" Baker.

### HULMEVILLE

A Valentine party is scheduled for Friday evening in the social hall of Nesamony Methodist Church at 7:30. The Youth Fellowship is the sponsoring group and all young people are invited. Initiation of new members is scheduled.

When she fell in Philadelphia on Thursday, Miss Helen E. Gill, of that city, sustained a broken right wrist. She was treated at Presbyterian hospital, Phila. Miss Gill is the daughter of Mrs. Harry Gill. Tomorrow Mrs. William Codling will be hostess at a covered dish luncheon at her home at 12 o'clock noon. Members of the Women's Auxiliary of Grace Episcopal Church are arranging the affair.

### NEWTOWN

Howard H. Keller, son of Assemblyman and Mrs. Marvin Keller, who has been working as a radio announcer in Charlestown, W. Va., is spending a few days with his parents, before being inducted into the armed forces early in February. Cpl. Raymond Whitesell, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Whitesell, has returned to Camp Lejeune, N. C.

On Friday, Raymond Taylor was host to Carl O. Dossin, Pa. State College poultry specialist. Girl Scouts of Troop 30, tendered their leader, Mrs. George Drotar, a surprise birthday party in the New Century club house, Tuesday evening. Girls present were: Dorothy Banks, Marion Drotar, "Betty" Ann Watson, Marilyn Jefferson, Alice Taylor, Joanne Taylor, Nancy Bothwell, Ann Talbot, Gertrude Hauler and Marjorie Steele.

### EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Evans spent Sunday at New York, N. Y. Fred Hibbs, F. 1/c. New London, Conn., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hibbs.

### CROYDON

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Cedar avenue, are being congratulated upon the birth of a daughter on January 23rd in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia. The baby, who weighed six lbs., 12 oz., at birth, has been named Susan. The Johnsons have one other child, Richard, Jr.

### FLEETWING ESTATES

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Landis are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son weighing eight lbs., 12 oz., Monday morning in Abington Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schoeffy are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Daniel Wayne, weighing six lbs., 15 oz., at Doylestown Hospital. The Schoeffys have two daughters, and another son.

### PENNDLE

Mrs. Edward Blackshire, celebrated her birthday on Sunday with a dinner.

Donald Feters, a trumpeter, is among those selected for the drum and bugle corps of the Air Force ROTC at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Florence Cockett has left for Fla. today with several members of her family.

William Eichelberger, Girard College, Philadelphia, was home for four days, visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Warren Bilger, Sr.

Mrs. John Douthart, Mrs. Charles O'Brien, Pennell; and Mrs. Edward Lawrence, of Parkland, attended the Deputy Association session of the Degree of Pochontas in Phila. last week. Presentation of a flag was made.

A group of men on Saturday witnessed the "fights" at the Cambria, in Philadelphia. Those in the party: Charles Mondelli, Frank Veit.

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principal of Pennsbury schools, has been ill at home for several days. Dennis Bauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bauer, is confined at his parents' home with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Doheny were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stump, Andalusia. Mrs. Doheny entertained members of a canasta club, Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Satterthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Drews and son Wayne, Fallsington, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Satterthwaite, Bristol, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Penns Manor.

The Falls Township fire company extinguished a chimney fire at the residence of Harry Lake, Jr., Bristol pike on Saturday afternoon. There was no damage.

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## "HIBOES" CUT CORDS FOR 26 GOALS FROM FLOOR; WIN GAME

The Hibernians cut the cords for 26 field goals last night as they whipped the Cornwells Boys' Club, 68-43, on the Edgely Fire Company court.

The Hibernians led all the way in the contest, increasing their lead as time rolled on. Manager Brock Harkins used thirteen players.

"Charlie" Simmons scored 15 points in the Hib's victory with "Bill" McGerr having nine. The Cornwell street team did fine work from the foul line in sinking 16 of its 22 attempts.

Cornwells had two of its stars missing in "Bill" Butz and Harry Kistner.

Tomorrow evening on the Rohm and Haas floor, Franklin plays Fifth Ward and Cornwells has an engagement with Prof's.

Hibernians	Gls.	Fts.	FT.	Pts.
Donnelly	1	2	2	4
Mulligan	2	4	0	6
McGerr	4	4	6	14
Simmons	6	3	1	15
Schriber	0	9	0	9
Rodgers	2	1	2	5
Saxton	1	2	1	4
Schade	1	1	1	3
White	4	1	1	9
Wilkins	0	0	0	0
Ennis	0	0	0	0
Sempsey	0	0	0	0
Burr	2	2	2	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>68</b>

Cornwells B. C.	Gls.	Fts.	FT.	Pts.
Dwyer	2	1	1	5
Copeland	1	1	1	3
Farino	1	1	1	3
Muth	1	2	2	4
Bonds	1	2	2	4
Curran	3	0	0	6
Samero	3	0	0	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>43</b>

Half-time score: Hibernians, 32; Cornwells, 19.  
Referee: Morgan & Ellis.  
Timer: F. Scordia. Scorer: C. Jono.

### WARRIORS PLAY IN TRENTON

The Bristol High Warriors will play Trenton Catholic tonight on Catholic's floor, Chestnut street, Trenton. There will be varsity and junior varsity tilts with the latter game starting at 7:30 o'clock.

### BENSALEM IDLE TONIGHT

Bensalem Township high will be idle tonight and will resume its schedule against Hattboro high on Friday night at Hattboro.

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## ROHM & HAAS GOES ON SCORING SPREE; WINS, 65-41

The Rohm and Haas dribblers went on a scoring spree last night as they trounced the Fifth Ward Sporting Club, 65-41, on the Edgely Fire Company floor in a Bristol Basketball League clash.

What started out to be a neck and neck tilt turned to be a one-sided affair as the chemical mixers found the right formula for field goals in the second and third quarters.

The score was 16-15 at the end of the first session with the count being deadlocked on four occasions but in the second period, the Maple Beach contingent scored 17 points while the Warders made but seven.

Marty Braam paced the Rohm and Haas team in the first half with 12 points while in the third period it was Angie Everett and Bill Mobley who scored a trio of goals each and "Jim" Egli who made a pair of fouls and two field goals. Everett led the scoring, as usual, with 20 points.

Joe Potena was high man for the Fifth Ward team with 17 points.

Rohm & Haas	Gls.	Fts.	FT.	Pts.
Braam	6	2	5	14
Hambleton	1	0	2	4
Bailey	1	2	4	4
Everett	9	2	3	20
Klein	1	1	2	3
Mobley	5	0	1	10
Egli	5	2	2	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>65</b>

Fifth Ward	Gls.	Fts.	FT.	Pts.
Pierandozzi	4	1	2	9
Costantino	2	0	2	6
Barbetta	3	0	0	6
Caro	0	1	1	2
Potena	7	3	4	17
Caulti	1	0	1	2
Mancini	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>41</b>

Half-time score: Rohm & Haas, 32-23; Fifth Ward, 19-11.  
Referee: Morgan, Timer: Scordia.  
Scorer: T. Jono. Umpire: Ellis.

### SENT TO JAIL FOR NON-PAYMENT OF FINE

FALLSINGTON, Feb. 6.—Joseph Thompson, Arch street, Norristown, was arrested Sunday by Detective Robert Kohl, Pennsylvania Railroad police department, for trespassing in the railroad yards. He was given a hearing at the office of Justice of the Peace John Melvin, and fined \$10 and costs. In default of the fine he was sentenced to thirty days in Bucks County Prison.

## Below The Belt

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Robert A. Taft—son of a President, universally recognized as among the ablest and best schooled members of Congress, duly chosen the Republican leader of the Upper House, and freshly come from an election in Ohio where his record was indorsed by his constituents to the tune of a 400,000 majority.

Senator Taft has criticized the foreign policy of the political leaders who supported General Eisenhower and made possible his brilliant record. But Senator Taft has done so in restrained and courteous language. He has done so, not by innuendo or epithet, but factually. He has done so, moreover, in a fashion which General Eisenhower has been unwilling to duplicate—submitting himself not only to the interrogation of Congress (which General Eisenhower found "impossible" to do) but also, via television, over and again to hostile questioning by unfriendly reporters.

Let's make what is perhaps a fine distinction, but an important one. Let us say that the only conceivable circumstance under which a man in General Eisenhower's position would be justified in applying such a word to Senator Taft (or to former President Herbert Hoover either, for that matter) would be if, first, he could prove the accusation, and second, if his own record for straightforward conduct and candid speech was unblemished.

As to the first, General Eisenhower cannot possibly back up the implication of "weaseling logic" with reference to either of these men. Both of them, in their foreign-policy talks, have dealt essentially in facts. Both of them have protested the Truman policy of trying to match any troops against the Communists—the one place where we are hopelessly outnumbered. Both of them have protested our policy of trying to "buy" loyalty from our European associates, with no guarantee of their dependability in an emergency. Neither General Eisenhower nor any other spokesman for the White House has dared go into a factual reply to these points.

In the second respect, General Eisenhower's position is unhappy. He may have, in fact, whittled down his place in history by accepting this present assignment. Why should we deceive ourselves? The capacity of the American public to recognize fakery is unlimited. They still know a messengerboy when they see one, and the role which General Eisenhower has played in these recent developments is little more than that. He didn't go to Europe to find out—he went to Europe to look for arguments to back up a policy which both he and President Truman were committed to before he left our shores. And everyone in America knows it. He wasn't on a search for truth—merely a search for material to stifle debate in Congress.

That's why the use of any word like "weaseling", on the General's part, comes so close to being below the belt. It falls into a pattern. For six weeks, the Truman Administration, unwilling or unable to face the Hoover-Taft-Kennedy criticisms, has skirted on the edge of the matter, and in one fashion or another sought to prove that these advocates of a different policy are cowards.

President Truman flirted again with this contemptible and evasive counter-attack, when in Philadelphia he called the opponents of his policy "quitters" and "summer patriots."

The manner in which this sort of vituperative smoke-screen, silencing criticism with abuse rather than facts and arguments, may shortly be mirrored throughout the nation if the present trend continues, was illustrated in a cartoon last Friday by F. O. Alexander, the Philadelphia Bulletin's brilliant cartoonist who occasionally lets his partisan zeal run away with his sense of values.

Mr. Alexander depicted General Eisenhower being confronted by Senator Taft and other Congressional leaders playing with wooden swords and toy soldiers, dressed in gaudy uniforms, and posing as "military analysts."

Just what does Mr. Alexander mean to imply by such a cartoon? Is he suggesting that a general should be above and beyond civilian interrogation? Does he imply that we ought to establish a military dictatorship and be done with it? Does he still support the Constitution, and does he still believe that this nation should continue a Republic, in which the direct—and only—representative of the American people in their government is the national Congress?

One thing is conspicuous. This below-the-belt stuff is contagious. If men like Truman and Eisenhower are going to trifle with good taste and fair play, others of their partisans will go much farther.

## Langhorne Council Sets Tax Rate at 13 Mills

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that he had received prices for additional lock boxes for the post office. Council authorized the buying of the boxes.

The following bids were received for the removal of trash in the borough for 1951: Ferdinand Reetz, \$875; and Elwood Balderston, \$800. The contract was awarded to Balderston, the low bidder.

William J. Palmer, secretary, read a letter from the Public Utility Commission, stating that investigation on the complaint made by council of a water shortage during the hurricane of November, showed that the water company does not have auxiliary pumps for emergencies and has been relying upon the Philadelphia Electric Company for power since 1944. Any further information learned by the Utility Commission will be forwarded to council. It was stated in the letter.

A proposed ordinance controlling parking and the paying of fines for such was discussed. Council instructed Secretary Palmer to contact the borough solicitor about such an ordinance.

John R. May, chairman of street and highways, reported he had received a form from the State asking what critical materials the borough will be needing in the next year for repairs and improvements. Council discussed the problem and turned the matter over to the street and highway committee to fill out the form and return it.

Secretary Palmer reported that the meeting of the Bucks County Boroughs Association would be held on Tuesday, February 27th, at Doylestown. Attached to the notice of the meeting was a letter stating that the State Department of Public Instruction would hold classes on public administration if enough councilmen are interested in taking the ten weeks course.

The 1951 budget was read and discussed. The budget has a total expenditure of \$31,125.14. Included in the budget was the continuance of the \$10 per capita tax on all persons 21 years of age residing in the borough. The budget was adopted as read.

A tax ordinance was adopted for the year 1951 setting the tax rate for all borough purposes at 13 mills.

Meeting night of the council was discussed as some of the councilmen cannot meet on the first Friday of the month. It was decided to hold the regular meeting of council on the second Friday of the month, which will make the next regular meeting Friday, March 9th.

## Hulmeville Gives Zoning Serious Consideration

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dustrial, commercial, etc.); and the uses, areas and heights for each district are set up, but that zoning does not touch on costs "and can't touch on them." "Zoning cannot be retroactive," he continued. As regards a building code, he reminded the councilmanic body that "A building code touches on structural and safety aspects."

Presented to the group by President George Bilger, Mr. Cella was given the first portion of the business meeting for presentation of his information. He briefly explained the set-up of the Government Consulting Service, stating that it has a full-time professional staff. Mr. Cella, who appeared at this meeting at the request of council, explained the procedural angles for those looking toward zoning, and told of the steps under the zoning enabling act for boroughs by which council might proceed. The initial step, he advised, would be the appointment of a zoning commission. He and his co-workers, he informed, will be happy to meet with such commission members in the evenings to advance any such project.

"Zoning has to be custom-made so it will be adaptable to your own needs," he stated. After mentioning that a proposal had been submitted to local council in July, 1948, by the G. S. C., Mr. Cella said: "We will be glad to submit a revised proposal, however."

The costs to be expected for setting up such plan (approximately \$800), the duties of the zoning commission members, the manner in which the G. S. C. would aid the

commission, were given consideration. "The commission is all-important in the job. The members must know the land and the territory. No stranger can do the task well. But we can assist. You will need a good committee to 'breathe life' into the technical plan which we would draft." Council asked that additional material be sent the group, so that more consideration can be given the matter in March.

In addition to the three-man board of adjustment (non-paid membership) "to make the ordinance sufficiently flexible," Mr. Cella mentioned that a building inspector would be required. The time element for setting up a zoning code was tentatively set at six months.

Councilmen in attendance were: President Bilger, Fred Bunting, Harry Beck, Edward Vansant, Orville Morris, and Willard Bartoe.

Mrs. Edward Black, secretary, informed that permission had been sought by Philadelphia Electric Co. to open the street at Catherine and Washington streets, for purpose of repairing gas mains. Bucks County Boroughs Ass'n meeting of February 27th was announced for Warrenton Inn. The secretary read to council the report as submitted by the auditors, this being accepted.

Treasurer, Miss Grace H. Illick, reported balance in the general fund of \$3,403.86, and in the sinking funds of \$5,022.36.

The tax rate was set the same as last year (12 mills), six mills each for the general and the sinking fund.

Considerable discussion ensued regarding activities in connection with public defense in time of bombing and test raids. Consensus of opinion on the part of council was that sufficient information and coordination has not been arranged throughout the area. The secretary was instructed to contact Burgess Leon R. Conly regarding plans for procedure in tests.

Arrangements were made for cleaning of drains in the vicinity of Ford and Lincoln avenues, and Reetz and Lincoln avenues, also on Main street. Prices are to be secured on removal of a tree in Hulmeville Memorial park, said tree being claimed a hazard.

Chief of Police Ernest Maret submitted his report for the past month as follows: Stop sign violations, three; reckless driving charges, two; accident, one, resulting in reckless driving charge.

## 10 of Selectees Are From Bristol; 39 Leave Today

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Valentine, Jr.; Penns Park, Garfield Oiler; Hartsville, Charles M. Boland; Downingtown, Paul H. Weiss.

Four of the 43 men called were transferred to other boards, including the one to New York, one to West Virginia, one to Trenton, N. J., and one to Coatesville, and will be inducted from those draft boards.

Mrs. Oliver Ringgold, 441 Cedar street, and two assistants served coffee to the men on the railroad platform on behalf of the "Hostess Group of the Philadelphia Servicemen's Organization," Philadelphia.

Henry Kornstedt, an assistant, representing Terchon Post, V. F. W., presented each inductee with a "good luck bag" containing a cigarette case, chewing gum, candy, and a nail clipper.

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## Hear Reports On Defense Activities

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on February 13th, insofar as it pertains to Bucks County.

The chiefs of the departments checked on the progress made thus far in Bucks County.

Reports showed that some communities are well organized, and that others have much to do before the details are efficiently worked out.

## Two Clubs Are To Be Entertained by Scouts

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NEWTOWN, Feb. 6.—Girl Scout Troop, No. 62, will entertain members of the Junior and Senior New Century Clubs on Feb. 13th at 7:30 p. m. A Girl Scout program is staged annually by the Scouts for their sponsoring groups. This year the program will include a color and sound film on International Scouting, appropriate at this time as February is International Month in Girl Scouting.

The girls will offer a choral program, including selections from "South Pacific," also "Finlandia," "The Children's Prayer," "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," etc., under direction of Mrs. Francis Brady, assisted by Mrs. William S. Kenderdine at the piano.

In March the troop will give a radio program over a Bucks County station. The girls will also be active in the civil defense program. As they have all completed necessary work for first aid badges, the Red Cross has requested that they add to this whatever requirements are needed to receive Junior Red Cross first aid certificates.

Work on the hostess badge has been continuing since the start of the year.

Troop No. 62 is under leadership of Mrs. Robert Sheeran, Mrs. John Talbot and Mrs. John Pilley.

## Yardley Business Men Want Car for Police

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YARDLEY, Feb. 6.—The Business Men's Association will ask Borough Council to provide a police car for "round the clock" protection of the borough. The group will suggest that the expense of the patrol car be shared with neighboring communities.

Russell Arata reported to the business unit recently that he had been contacted by the Volunteer Medical Service Corps to organize a medical corps. The group, as a body, offered to give their co-operation to Nelson Whitehead, local defense head, to attempt to get some definite and immediate orders for organization from the Bucks County leaders.

A volunteer committee, composed of Mrs. Josephine Seisel, Mrs. Nellie Carroll, Archie Gallagher and Charles Aller, will lay the groundwork for canvassing residents of Yardley for petitioning the Post Office Department for letter carrier service.

The next meeting of the group will be held on February 22.

Courier Want Ads convert "Dust Gatherers" into cash. Phone 846.

## Name Two Posthumously As Winners of Award

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NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—(INS)—Ray Richards and Frank Emery, who gave their lives in reporting the news from the front lines in Korea, have been named posthumously as winners of the 1950 George R. Holmes Memorial award.

Presentation of the award, highest honor for distinguished work by an International News Service reporter each year, will be made jointly to Richards' daughter and to Emery's mother.

This is the first posthumous bestowal of the trophy since it was established in 1939 to perpetuate the memory of Holmes, who died in 1938 after serving more than two decades as the brilliant and beloved Washington manager of International News Service.

The vote of the 1950 Holmes award committee also establishes co-winners for the first time in a list of world-famous journalists who have won the trophy.

To Richards, a newspaper man for 40 years and a veteran of far east coverage, went the award for his series of dramatic, exclusive eyewitness stories in the early, bitter days of the Korean war. It was on one of his repeated visits to the firing lines that he was killed on July 10.

The spectacular account of a trip he made with a six-man American patrol behind enemy lines on Aug. 25 earned the award for Emery, 23-year-old ex-editor of Stars and Stripes who had been Manila news manager for INS before the outbreak of fighting in Korea.

Wounded during the daring reconnaissance, Emery was ordered to Japan to recuperate. He met his death in a plane crash Sept. 7 while en route back to the front.

"The performance of both men," said the award committee in announcing its decision, "was over and above the call of duty."

This simple, yet graphic, summation of the jobs turned in by the veteran Richards and the youthful Emery was a deciding factor in the selection of them as co-winners of the 1950 Holmes award.

## Edgely Fire Auxiliary To Purchase New Stove

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The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Edgely Fire Company was held last evening. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Jacob Doster. Purchase of a new 10-burner gas stove and exhaust fan was decided upon. Mrs. LeRoy Stackhouse, Mrs. Robert Reed and Mrs. Marion Shores were elected trustees.

The regular card party will be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 14th. Mrs. M. Kerr is chairman. "Pig" was won by Mrs. Walters. Refreshments were served.

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